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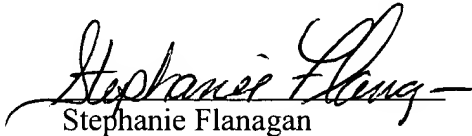
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FEE CALCULATION: No Additional Fees Due. Upon entry of the below amendment, the total number claims will be 20 or less, and the number of independent claims will be 3 or less.

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 5, 2003,
please amend the application as follows:

REPLACEMENT PARAGRAPH(S), SECTION(S) AND CLAIM(S):

In the Specification:

Replace the paragraph starting on page 4, line 14, with:
--To attain this, the present invention generally comprises a base assembly that has a lower portion and an upper portion. The lower portion is adapted for resting on a support surface. The lower portion is for supporting the upper portion of the base assembly. A solar assembly is coupled to the upper portion of the base assembly. The solar assembly is adapted for collecting solar radiation and